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American League simply will not stand for John M. Ward being elected president of the National League to succeed John A. Heydler, according to Ban B. Johnson, the American League president, who arrived in New York to-day. If he is elected, says Johnson, it means war.

As outlining his position in the matter on the eve of the National League meeting, Johnson gave out a letter dated Chicago, November 30, which has sent to August Herrmann at Clincinati, chairman of the National and American Leagues in 1903. The letter says:

"When information was brought to me from an authentic source that John M. Ward was seriously considered for the presidency of the National League, it occasioned me much surprise, and prised the question as to the sincerity of purpose of your organization. Since the signing of the peace pact and the creation of the national agreement, organized baseball has moved along in a broad, straight channel with moderate friction.

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President H. F. Smith, of the Southern Golf Association, this afterneon announced that the Audubon Club of New Orleans, and the Momphis Country Club were the winners, respectively, of the H. F. Smith trophy and the George in the association's bogy Thanksglving contest. The play was between teams of ten, and was conducted over the home courses of the respective clubs.

The first ten teams finished in the following order:
Audubon Golf Club, New Orleans: Nashville Golf and Country Club, Charleston Country Club, Atlanta Athletic Club, Louisville Golf Club, Cape Fear Golf Club, Wilmington, N. C.; Audubon Gountry Club, Louisville.

The score of the Nashville team was 59 down on bogey. President Smith declined to give out individual scores.

## Virginians at the Hotels

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HAVANA, December 13.—The Hadrand defeated the same performance he has gone through by an abaseball team defeated the same performance he has gone through by a score of 5 to 0.

FOOTBALL HONOR LIST

AS SEEN BY WALTER CAMP

Walter Camp gives the following honor list of 1809 football and tells why the men belong on this roll. This is a departure from the usual All-America team published at this time of the year, as he has always done heretofore. Mr. Camp ignores the South's share in the gridiron game: Hobos, left tackle. Bankhart, right end; Philbin, left half back; Andres, left guard; Hobos, left tackle. Pennsylvania—Braddock, left end: Milnesota—McCanfey, right end; Philbin, left half back; Andres, left guard; Hothos, left tackle. Horden, Ho

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Resent,

Governor-Elect William Hodges Mann came over from Petersburg yesterday to be with the Senate Finance Committee. He attended the afternoon ession, when the clerk to the auditor was examined. Judge Mann went back to Petersburg for the night, but will return to Richmond to-day.

The horticultural people arrived in the city in full force last night, ready for to-day's hearing. Among those who, will urge an appropriation for this work are: Prof. S. W. Fletcher, of the Virginia Agricultural Experiment Station, Blacksburg: Senator J. B. Watkins, of Midlotnian; W. Whately, of Crozet; W. W. Sproule, of Staunton, Blacksburg: Senator J. B. Watkins, of Midlotnian; W. Whately, of Crozet; W. W. Sproule, of Staunton, Dr. Lyon G. Tyler, president of the same interest.

Dr. Lyon G. Tyler, president of William and Mary Collego. Is present to speak of the normal work in his school.

Superintendent William A. Bowless, of the Virginia School for the Deaf and Blind, at Staunton, is in Richmond. He will talk to-day regarding his institution, which has aiready declared that it will not ask for an increase.

J. H. Lindsay, the well-known Charlotteville newspaper man, is also here to the Staunton institution.

Commissioner W. McDobald Lee, of the Fish Commissione, is expected today. He also, it is understood, will not need more funds.

PLEADS GUILTY

Captain Franklin, U. S. A., Must Go to Prison for Embezslement.

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